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24 September 1964

1. At the Executive Committee Meeting this morning:

a. Larry Houston reported that the retroactive pay rider was passed by Congress yesterday and was en route to the President for signature. He said that this bill will take care of all Agency employees, including those in the Scientific and Executive Pay Scales, except those contract employees whose contracts did not specifically provide that they would automatically be covered. He said, however, that as a matter of policy we can pay these people also and that he will write me a note to this effect. H

b. Mr. Kirkpatrick reported that the President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board would meet next Thursday and Friday, 1 and 2 October. He listed a number of items that are on the agenda. The only one of interest to DD/S was a briefing on the Moscow bugging assessment. Dick Helms has action on this, but Bob Bannerman and the Office of Security will probably be involved.

2. I advised [REDACTED] that Larry Houston and Emmett Echols were prepared to brief General Carter on the new dual compensation bill at any time. Hank will put it on his schedule and set up the necessary briefing. (I also alerted Emmett and Larry to be prepared.)

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4. [REDACTED] dropped by this morning for a visit, and I handed him a copy of his consultant contract. He also wanted to get a copy of his citation if this is permissible. (I asked [REDACTED] to check into this. Personally, I see no reason why we can't give Stan a copy for his personal files to go along with the medal which he received.)

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5. I met this morning with [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] and one or two others to review the papers which they have

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sent so as to show the money and manpower requirements by Fiscal Year in the tabulation which we present for the Director's consideration. In addition to this capital investment, they estimated that approximately \$5 million per year would be necessary to operate the facility after it was constructed. I asked that this staff work be finished and ready for my signature by Wednesday morning, 30 September.

6. [REDACTED] briefed me on the counteraudio activities of the Office of Security. [REDACTED] briefing was a great improvement over the one he gave me several months ago. In fact, it was quite good. It leaves one, however, with the impression that, despite the very considerable effort which we are making to avoid technical penetration of this type, we can have little assurance that we aren't, in fact, penetrated. However, I think that the Intelligence Community is focused on this problem, and a special Counteraudio Committee is about to be activated in the USIB mechanism. DD/S&T is heavily engaged in research and development on the subject, and perhaps we can look forward within the next few months to some breakthrough which will give us more satisfaction that we are protected.

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[REDACTED] dropped in to express his appreciation for the assignment [REDACTED] replacement in DD/S&T. He was extremely pleased. I told him that I could not take credit for thinking of this assignment but that I had heartily endorsed it when it was proposed to me and that I hoped he would find a great deal of satisfaction there. I also said that I felt that career designations insofar as future assignments are concerned were not of overwhelming importance in his case anyway.

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8. At the Executive Committee Meeting this morning I obtained Mr. Kirkpatrick's permission to have an unannounced fire drill at 1100 hours on 6 October. I assured him that we would keep knowledge of this to the

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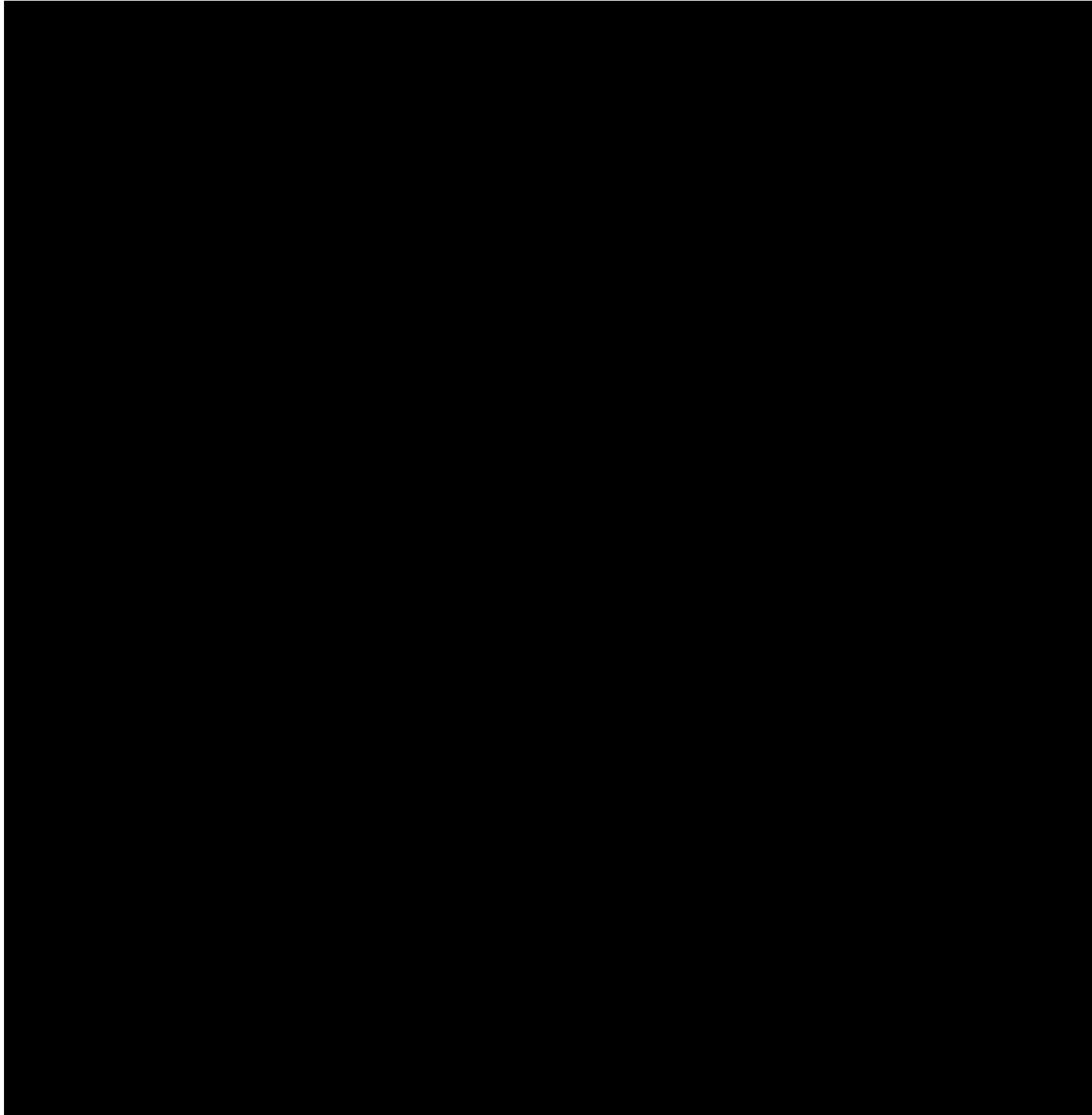
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absolute minimum number of people and that we would remind General Carter and him shortly before the drill takes place.

9. Alan Warfield reported that Jim Garrison came to his staff meeting this morning to say his good-bys and that things went very smoothly. He talked to Jim again about having a retirement party for him, and one is now scheduled on 14 October at the Naval Gun Factory. The Office of Logistics will of course handle all the details. (I want to get a recommendation for a medal for Jim processed prior to that time so that it can be presented at the party or here in the Headquarters building on or about the same date. On 25 September [REDACTED] called to say that the party will be held on 21 October.)

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